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APPLICANTS: Rothberg, *et al.*  
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FILING DATE: November 20, 2000 ART UNIT: 1636  
FOR: METHODS OF IDENTIFYING TOXIC AGENTS USING NSAID-INDUCED  
DIFFERENTIAL GENE EXPRESSION IN LIVER

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), applicants hereby petition for a two-month extension of time to respond to the February 26, 2002 Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequences and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures in the above-identified application. With the extension, the response is due on or before April 26, 2002. A check in the amount of \$55.00 in payment of the fee required by 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a)(2), is enclosed herewith.


Please charge any additional fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 15966-601 (Cura 101). A duplicate copy of this Petition is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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